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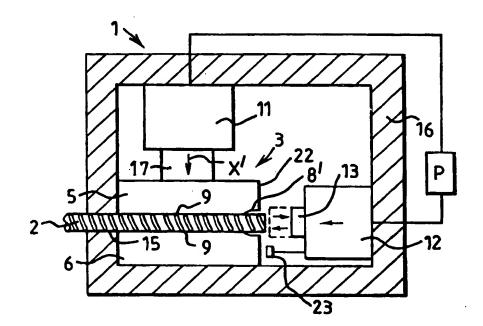
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The invention relates to apparatus for enlarging part of a metal workpiece by cold forging, characterised by an enlarging die (5, 6) and by the die having means (8, 8') to alleviate stress to the workpiece during forging.



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